



Starhotels presents the volume “Hotel d’Inghilterra” one year after the reopening of the legendary Roman landmark

Rome, September 24, 2025 – Exactly one year after its grand reopening on September 27, 2024, the **Hotel d’Inghilterra**, one of the jewels of **Starhotels Collezione**, celebrates its anniversary with the launch of “*Hotel d’Inghilterra*”: a collector’s book that traces the history and renaissance of this legendary address in the heart of Rome, highlighting its profound bond with the Eternal City and the renovation journey that has restored the property to its original splendor.

With its long-standing tradition of hospitality, the Hotel d’Inghilterra, located on Via Bocca di Leone just steps from Piazza di Spagna and Via Condotti, tells a story dating back to the mid-17th century. Originally known as the “*Locanda d’Angleterre*”, it quickly became a favorite stop for European aristocrats and intellectuals on their Grand Tour. **Over the centuries, the hotel welcomed celebrated Italian and international figures who contributed to its enduring myth:** from Oscar Wilde to Ernest Hemingway, from Italo Calvino to Giuseppe Ungaretti, and cinema icons such as Elizabeth Taylor, Audrey Hepburn, and Sir Alec Guinness.

The recent restoration of the Hotel d’Inghilterra was a meticulous conservation project, guided by archival research and entrusted to outstanding Italian artisans, brought together by Starhotels under its patronage initiative “**La Grande Bellezza – The Dream Factory**”. Among the highlights, master restorers Fersini Restauro, based just steps from the hotel, revived the original beauty of frames and furnishings, gilded with leaves supplied by historic Florentine manufacturer Giusto Manetti Battiloro. An extraordinary showcase of Italian savoir-faire, where tradition, innovation, and culture seamlessly converge.

Today, one year after its reopening, the Hotel d’Inghilterra reaffirms its spirit: not merely a refined retreat, but a meeting point between past and future, where guests can live a truly contemporary Grand Tour experience. Completely renovated and enriched by new outlets - the Cafè Romano restaurant, the Spa Suite - the hotel combines its historical soul with a new dimension of hospitality, where Rome itself seems to flow into its halls and rooms, “furnishing” its spaces, all the way up to the recently opened Terrazza Romana, which offers magnificent views over the rooftops and domes of the Eternal City.

“I am delighted to celebrate this milestone with a book that captures the soul of this historic palace, the intense yet rewarding restoration, and the end result: the rebirth of Hotel d’Inghilterra, offering a glimpse into the beauty of the city it overlooks from a privileged position, just a few steps from Piazza di Spagna,” said **Elisabetta Fabri, Starhotels’ President and CEO**.

The volume “**Hotel d’Inghilterra**” is part of the **Grand Tour Collection**, a publishing project that journeys through Italy alongside Starhotels, telling the stories and identities of places that have shaped the art of hospitality, true guardians of memory, art, and culture. Following the success of the first book dedicated to Helvetia & Bristol in Florence, this second volume further confirms Starhotels’ dedication to preserving and showcasing Italy’s historical and cultural heritage. The next volume in the series will be dedicated to Hotel Gabrielli in Venice.



Published by Gruppo Editoriale in a limited, precious edition, the book is available for purchase at the Hotel d'Inghilterra and on Starhotels website.

Hotel d'Inghilterra Roma – Starhotels Collezione

Few locations in Rome can boast a history as prestigious as that of the Hotel d'Inghilterra Roma - Starhotels Collezione, since the 19th century a favorite of the international élite and the Roman nobility for its magnificent location, just a few steps from the iconic Spanish Steps and the glamorous Via Condotti, and its innate elegance. The hotel has recently reopened, after an extensive restyling that enhances its historical charm, celebrating its legendary history.

Since its opening in the 19th century, the hotel has been the favored destination for the many travelers of the era, particularly artists and intellectuals embarking on the Grand Tour. Over the years, the hotel's refined atmosphere has continued to attract writers and international celebrities, such as Oscar Wilde, Mark Twain, Ernest Hemingway, Hans Christian Andersen, Henry James, Elizabeth Taylor, Gregory Peck and Audrey Hepburn.

Now fully restored with the expertise of master craftsmen, the rooms and suites are elegantly furnished, each with its own distinct character and design.

The Cafè Romano Restaurant, with its refined and cosmopolitan atmosphere, offers the opportunity to savor the flavors of Roman tradition, reinterpreted in a modern key by Executive Chef Andrea Sangiuliano; Cafè Romano Lounge Bar, the intimate English Bar of the hotel, is the perfect setting for those seeking an exceptional location with a captivating ambiance. Finally, the recently inaugurated Terrazza Romana Rooftop Cocktail Bar offers a privileged view of the domes and historic buildings of the Eternal City.

Rounding out the experience, the new SPA Suite, an intimate wellness sanctuary, offers a complete sensory experience with relaxation, personalized treatments, and fitness.

Hotel d'Inghilterra Roma – Starhotels Collezione was recognized by Travel + Leisure on the prestigious It List 2025, ranking as the leading Italian property among the world's best city hotels. In the same year, the hotel was included in the authoritative Forbes Travel Guide.

In 2024, Condé Nast Traveller named Hotel d'Inghilterra to its Gold List and featured it in the Readers' Choice Awards in the "Best Hotels in Rome" category. Hotel d'Inghilterra Roma – Starhotels Collezione is a member of Small Luxury Hotels of the World, Signature, Internova Select Hotels, and Takumians.

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